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TOPIC Airfield of PUETNITZEVALUATION 25X1PLACE OBTAINED

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The PUETNITZ (N 55/P 03) airfield was not occupied by Soviet Air Force soldiers. The landing field and the E-W runway were intact. The former hangars at the northwestern border of the field housed a nationalized enterprise. Only one of the six hangars there was still damaged, the others having been repaired. The laborers employed in the factory were quartered in the buildings at the northern border of the field. German police guarded the airfield.

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Comment: The condition and occupation of the PUETNITZ airfield have not changed since May 1949. The airfield has not been used by units of the Sixteenth Air Army.

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